

Sacramento Ethnic Community Survey
Oral History Index
Interview of Kathryn Davis By Thomas D. Norris
July 14, 1983

<u>Time Into Tape</u>	<u>Subject</u>
0:00	Introduction by interviewer.
1:25	Reason for coming to California from Oklahoma.
2:20	Description of life in Oklahoma: family life and work in the oil fields.
6:15	Families first experiences in California cotton camps; personal expectations about living in California.
8:10	Move to Sacramento, 1943. Life on Rainer Hop Ranch in Perkins.
10:40	Ethnic mix of ranch workers.
13:15	Work on the hop ranches. Use of under-age workers.
22:00	Attending school in Sacramento.
25:10	Okies' relations with other members of the community.
26:45	Further discussion of school.
End of Side One	
0:00	Country and western music in Sacramento, performers and clubs: Bob Wills; Wills' Point; Red Barn; Fred's Place.
3:40	Importance of country and western music to Okies living in Sacramento.
10:00	Early church going experiences at Bethel Temple, 21st and W St.

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13:00	Uncle establishes Church of God in 1950. Description of location, congregation, and services.
15:35	Later life: jobs, marriage, and family life.
19:25	Retrospection on life in California--land of opportunity.
20:45	Impact of Oklahoma origins her and her family's lives. Transmittal of Okies culture to children
24:10	Adjustment to other races and ethnic groups in Sacramento.

End of Tape